REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The September 28, 2004 communication from the Patent Office included a Notice of Missing Items indicating page 17 of the specification had not been included in the application as filed on September 23, 2003. However, a review of our files shows that page 17 was in fact included in the application as filed on that date. Additionally, the acknowledgement post card returned to us from the Patent Office shows that all 18 pages of the specification were received at the Patent Office. A copy of page 17 and the acknowledgement post card is attached for your reference.

Although we believe the application was complete as filed on September 23, 2004 and that all 18 pages of the application were included in that filing, our review shows that page 17 did not contain any critical information. Instead, page 17 of the application includes only the words, "SEQUENCE LISTING None." Therefore, Applicant will not petition for inclusion of page 17 and, in accordance with the options listed in the Patent Office communication of September 28, 2004, Applicant elects option III and hereby notifies the Patent Office to proceed with the application as filed and maintain the application filing date of September 23, 2003.

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